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Note verbale dated 6 August 2004 from the Permanent Mission of Guyana to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Committee

The Government of the Republic of Guyana has the honour to inform the Committee of the following, as requested, regarding Security Council resolution 1533 (2004) on the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

Paragraph 1. Guyana has not authorized the direct or indirect supply, sale or transfer of arms or any related materials or assistance to armed groups operating in North and South Kivu and in Ituri or to any group within the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

Paragraph 9. Guyana is not geographically located within the same region as the Democratic Republic of the Congo, has never been directly or indirectly involved in the conflict, and has no information of importance to provide the Committee on the supply of arms or assistance to armed groups within the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

Paragraph 12. Guyana is prepared to operate fully with the Committee in observing the provisions of paragraph 20 of resolution 1493 (2003).

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